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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday 14th May 1927 :—

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market Report	Retail prices
Food grains and pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	246	21 4 0 to 22 8 0	...	4½ to 4⅝ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla ...	„	„	22 8 0 to 24 0 0	..	4⅛ to 4¼ „
	Dharapur „ ..	„	„	26 0 0 to 27 0 0	...	3⅝ to 3⅞ „
	Mysore kaddi „ ..	„	„	20 4 0 to 22 8 0	..	4½ to 4⅞ „
	Alubbalu „ ..	„	„	.....	No stock	.....
Ragi ..	Dasam (black) per cart load ..	640	..	60 0 0 to 63 0 0	..	10 to 10½ „
	Superior (red) „ ..	640	..	64 0 0 to 68 0 0	..	9 to 10 „
Tur ..	Gulbarga	...	...	.....	..	4¾ to 5 „
Tur (Dal) ..	....	...	..	....	..	3½ to 4 „
Avare ..	....	...	..	....	..	3½ to 5 „
Avare (Dal) ..	...	..	...	....	..	3½ to 4 „
Oils and oilseeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	..	26½	7 0 0 to 7 8 0	...	0-2-10 to 0-3-0 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	6 12 0	..	0-2-9 per seer
Oilseeds ..	Gingelly or Til seed per candy ..	255	..	68 0 0 to 72 0 0	..	.....
	Castor seed „ ..	255	..	35 0 0 to 39 0 0	...	.....
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ..	White Bura	..	25	4 0 0	...	0-7-9 to 0-8-0 per viss
	Kolar Bura	..	„	3 14 0	..	
Jaggery ..	Achu	..	28	1 14 0 to 2 8 0	...	0-3-9 to 0-5-0 „
	Oonde	..	28	1 13 0 to 2 8 0	...	
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	...	26½	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	...	3-0-0 to 3-2-0 „
Salt ..	Bombay salt (black) ...	100	..	6 8 3 to 6 12 0	..	14 to 15 seers per rupee.

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OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 7TH MAY 1927.

A total of 2 attacks with 2 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 5 attacks with 6 deaths in the previous week, the district affected being Mysore. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 63 attacks with 41 deaths in 1925 and 16 attacks with 6 deaths in 1924.

3. A total of 203 attacks with 105 deaths from cholera, was returned for 10 villages in Koratagere Sub-Taluk, 5 villages in each of the Gudibanda and Maddagiri Taluks, 2 villages in each of the Shikarpur, Channagiri and Sorab Taluks and one village in each of the Srinivaspur, Shimoga, Harihar and Kumsi Taluks and the towns of Gudibanda, Maddagiri and Shimoga.

4. No cases either of influenza, relapsing fever or of small-pox were returned during the week.

5. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 61 representing a calculated annual ratio of 26·75 per mille of population against the average ratio of 31·54 for 1925. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under malaria, 9 under pneumonia, 5 under other fevers, 8 under phthisis, 7 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 30 under all other causes.

6. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 31, representing a calculated annual ratio of 19·20 per mille of population against the average ratio of 22·20 for 1925. The causes of deaths were malaria 2, pneumonia 5, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 5 and all other causes 16.

7. There were 19 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 11·01 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·10 for 1925. The deaths were other fevers 2, dysentery and diarrhœa 3 and all other causes 14.

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